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In response to the official action mailed April 11, 2005, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

In the Specification:

Please amend paragraph [021] of the specification as follows in which the specification additions are shown by underlining and the specification deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the replacement specification paragraphs into the record of this case.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 13, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein and, add new claims 21-30, and amend claims 11, 14, and 17-20 shown by underlining and/or the claims deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the amended claims and the new claims into the record of this case.